

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please change the title as follows:

TUNGSTEN-BASED SINTERED MATERIAL HAVING HIGH STRENGTH AND HIGH
HARDNESS, AND HOT PRESS MOLD USED FOR OPTICAL GLASS LENSES

Following the title, please insert the following paragraphs:

Cross-Reference to Prior Application

This is a U.S. National Phase Application under 35 U.S.C. §371 of International Patent Application No. PCT/JP2004/010278 filed July 13, 2004, and claims the benefit of Japanese Patent Applications No. 2004-62251, filed March 5, 2004, 2004-70278 filed, March 12, 2004 and 2004-76757, filed March 17, 2004, all of which are incorporated by reference herein. The International Application was published in Japanese on September 15, 2005 as WO 2005/085486 A1 under PCT Article 21(2).